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 35 U.S.C. § 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE
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The following is in response to the Notification Of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. § 371 In The United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US), mailed July 5, 2005, in the above-referenced application.

Enclosed herewith for filing in the subject application are the following:

1. A copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements;
2. Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney (total of 20 pages);

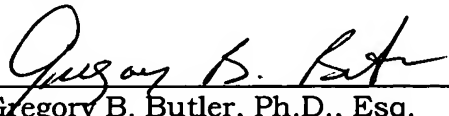
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4. Return receipt postcard.

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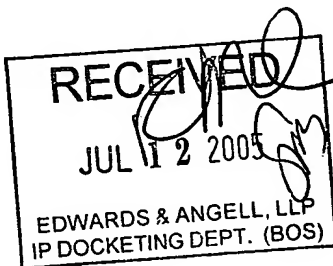
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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 01/14/2005
- English Translation of the IA filed on 01/14/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 01/14/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 01/14/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 01/14/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 01/14/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 01/14/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 01/14/2005
- Assignment filed on 01/14/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 01/14/2005

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The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
 - When submitting multiple declarations, each declaration must contain the name off all inventors.
- \$130 Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)) is required.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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